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SUBJECT: PL 480 TITLE 1 SALE TO TANZANIA - RICE

1. PLEASE INFORM HOST GOVERNMENT OF PROPOSED USG FY 1977
TITLE I PL 480 SALE TO TANZANIA OF 20,000 METRIC TONS OF
RICE VALUED AT DOLS. 1.1 MILLION.

2. FINANCIAL TERMS INCLUDE A FIVE PERCENT INITIAL PAYMENT
WITH REPAYMENT IN 31 ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS FOLLOWING A
TEN YEAR GRACE PERIOD. INTEREST IS TWO PERCENT DURING
THE GRACE PERIOD AND THREE PERCENT THEREAFTER.

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3. THERE IS NO USUAL MARKETING REQUIREMENT DUE TO
TANZANIA'S PRESENT ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES AND FACT THAT LEVEL
OF IMPORTS IN 1974 AND 1975 WAS DUE TO DROUGHT AND WAS NOT
REPRESENTATIVE OF TANZANIA'S NORMAL IMPORT REQUIREMENTS.
TANZANIA IMPORTED NO RICE IN EITHER 1972 OR 1973. IN 1974
IT IMPORTED 19,360 METRIC TONS. IN 1975 ITS IMPORTS

AMOUNTED TO 55,034 METRIC TONS FROM NON-COMMUNIST SOURCES,
DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS: THAILAND- 25,046, EGYPT- 5,488;
UNITED STATES 14,300; AND OTHERS - 10,200. THE PRC SUPPLIED
12,510 METRIC TONS. THERE WERE NO COMMERCIAL IMPORTS OF
RICE IN 1976.

4. ANY COMMENTS ARE REQUESTED BY NO LATER THAN COB
MARCH 18.
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